



# Spring Millinery!

A large Stock,

Great Variety,

New Designs

MISS SCOTT wishes to inform the Ladies of Brandon and vicinity that she is bringing in a very CHOICE and well ASSORTED stock of New Spring Millinery, comprising all the latest designs in

Hats and Bonnets.

Feathers and Flowers.

Ribbons Laces etc.

as well as everything in the FANCY GOODS.

MISS SCOTT,

12-ent ROSSEY AVE. TWO DOORS WEST FO 7TH STREET.

NO SMALL POX HERE.

STABLES.

STABLES.

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JUST OPENED.

— ON —

Tenth Street Between Rosser and Pacific Avenues,  
Livery, Sale and Feed Stables

THE BEST STOCK OF HORSES EVER IMPORTED INTO THE COUNTRY. DEALERS IN OXEN, WAGGONS, ETC.

POWELL & EDMUNDS.

Seeds Seeds Seeds!  
GARDEN & FARM.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

Settlers Supplies a Specialty

A. E. GAVIN,

Corner 6th St. and Rosser Ave.,

Winter & O'Neil's Old Stand.

GREAT REDUCTION

In Boots and Shoes, Readymade Clothing, &c.

This Branch must be cleared out to make room for large consignment of Grockery and Glassware.

## GOING TO MONTREAL AND QUEBEC.

A party that has been in the Northwest for some time, and has been for Chicago, where they will take the Michigan Central R.R. for London, Toronto, and Montreal.  
The Michigan Central route was selected because it is the best by far from Chicago to Montreal.  
This line runs five express trains daily from Chicago to Montreal (one on Sundays) and two from Montreal to Chicago (one on Sundays) and two from Montreal to Chicago (one on Sundays) and two from Montreal to Chicago (one on Sundays).  
The 11:30 p.m. train from Montreal to Chicago is accompanied by sleeping cars. A sleeper sleeping car runs from Montreal to Chicago, and the other trains have through cars to Chicago, and the other trains have through cars to Chicago, and the other trains have through cars to Chicago.  
Through tickets are on sale to all three points, and baggage will be checked through.

## THE CLUB STABLE

Twelfth Street, Brandon

The above stable building is now open, as a livery, feed and sale stable. It is most conveniently situated between Rosser and Princess Avenue, directly opposite the Brandon Club. For hire every kind of rig, new cutters, coupe carriages, etc., at reasonable rates. Horses and oxen bought and sold on commission.

Office of the Sports Plum Creek Stage.

Passengers booked through to the Turtle Mountain at lowest rates. Freightage done to all parts of the country.

JAMESON & KIRCHHOFFER, Props.  
FRANK A. TAMPY, Manager.

## ROY & Co.

PROPRIETORS

## THE WINNIPEG

Brewing & Malting Co.

Ales, Porter & Lager.

## MONTREAL & WESTERN LAND COMPANY'S

Free Grant & Purchase Lands

This company is now prepared to locate any number of settlers on homesteads and pre-emption, and will sell to those who wish to purchase on the most favorable terms.

## FREE GRANT LANDS

are disposed of on exactly the same terms as if coming direct from the Government. The Company's lands are in a direct line of a railway now under construction, and are being made as easy of access to the settler as possible. Steamers of the Northwest Navigation Company will run regularly to Strathallan and beyond.

For further particulars apply to  
MESSRS. DRUMMOND BROS & CO.,  
or  
Dundee Block, Winnipeg.

GEO. E. FISHER,  
Agent, Strathallan,  
A. T. DRUMMOND,  
Managing Director.

N. B.—Intending settlers will do well to bear in mind that the above company's lands are of the best quality, as well as having plenty of wood and water upon them, a great advantage over land now attainable on the line of the C. P. R., and that the outlay in reaching them will be considerably less, also that seed of all kinds can be had at Strathallan on favorable terms from the company.

## PERAMBULATORS!

WHITNEY'S CELEBRATED CARRIAGES,

Lacrosse Sticks

Lacrosse Balls.

Andrew Freeland.

BRANDON BOOKSTORE.

75c. on the \$  
The Rarest Chance

YET OFFERED.

The advertiser who has outside business that will hereafter occupy his outside attention, now offers for sale One of the Best Selected Stocks of

Groceries and Hardware

In the City of Brandon, at

75 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.

Invoice price. Premises may be rented if required.

Address,

Box 54, Brandon.

BRANDON TENT AND AWNING FACTORY.

Tents, Awnings, Horses and Wagon Covers, Carpet Sewing, etc.,

EMERSON & HURLAND.

North Street, North of C. P. R. Depot.

# Brandon Ordered Clothing

—AND—

## Gents' Furnishing Emporium.

GENTLEMEN,—

Seeing the lack of such an Establishment in this growing and prosperous City, we have just opened in the above line at Rosser Ave., two doors from 5th Street. Our aim is to furnish the City with the best class of Ordered Clothing and Gents' Furnishings yet introduced here. Having had eleven years' experience in Cobourg, the University town of Ontario, and many years in London, Eng., doing business with the best houses in Great Britain, we are therefore buying and importing from the Fountain Head, thus saving the profits of Middle Men, we can offer special advantages to our patrons.

We have on hand, Colored Worsted, Broad Cloths, Dressings, West of England and Scotch Tweeds and Suitings. Also, a large range of Canadian Tweeds. Christy's Stiff, American Fine Fur and Canadian Hats. Hosiery, Gloves, and Shirts and Suitings, and of all kinds of Gents' Furnishings, we have a Choice Selection, and we hope by combining the above with the best of practical skill and workmanship, to win the confidence and Liberal Support of the worthy citizens of Brandon and its vicinity.

We are, Gentlemen,

Yours, etc.,

COLE & SANDERS

## O I C

THE PLACE

FOR WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY

AT BOTTOM PRICES IS AT

## REESOR'S

All Repairing done with neatness and despatch.

D. A. Reesor.

Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler.

OSIER AVENUE BRANDON



# Seeds, Seeds,

GO TO

## LEASK & ROSE'S

FOR

## FIELD AND Garden Seeds

The Best Place in Brandon for Settlers and Prospects

to Get Outfits at Lowest Prices

## RUBBER BOOTS,

BLEECHES,

## Shirts and Coats, etc.

LEASK & ROSE,

Rosser Ave., Cor. 11th St.



## Brandon Post Office.

### Arrival and Departure of the M.

DAILY MAILS.		
Close for the East.....	11:15 a.m.	
Close for the West.....	2:00 p.m.	
Arrive from the East.....	2:30 p.m.	
Arrive from the West.....	12:00 noon.	
THE WEEKLY MAILS.		
Close for:		
Rapid City	at 7:00 p.m.	
Edwards		
Minneapolis		
ve from:		
Rapid City	at 7:00 a.m.	
Edwards		
Minneapolis		
SEMI-WEEKLY MAILS.		
Close for:		
Brandon Mills	at 7 a.m.	
Houghton		
North Mouth		
Millard		
Arrive from:		
Brandon Mills	at 6:30 p.m.	
Houghton		
North Mouth		
Millard		
WEEKLY MAILS.		
Close for:		
Newdale	Monday at 2:00 p.m.	
Murray		
Shoal Lake		
Fort Ellice		
Arrive from:		
Newdale	Tuesday at 11 a.m.	
Murray		
Shoal Lake		
Fort Ellice		
Arrive from:		
Brandon Mills	Thursday at 10 a.m.	
Close for:		
Brandon Mills	Friday at 10 a.m.	
Arrive from:		
Brandon Mills	Thursday at 4 p.m.	
Close for:		
Brandon Mills	Friday at 7 a.m.	
Arrive from:		
Brandon Mills	Friday at 7 a.m.	

## The Brandon Daily Mail.

SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1883.

### THE WHITEHEAD-JOB.

This is the title with which the Toronto Globe characterizes "one of the blackest jobs which has yet disgraced the politics of Canada." Coming from the *Globe* this announcement can only be characterized as the most impudent and cheeky libel upon the present Government which has ever disgraced its columns. Happily there are some persons still in the land of the living who recollect very well what *really was* the "Whitehead Job," and it was this. When Contract 15 was let there were a large number of tenderers, of whom Charlton & Co. were the lowest tenderers. Charlton & Co. were speculative contractors—in other words, contract brokers, and they immediately took steps to dispose of their chances of obtaining the contract, at the highest market rates. Naturally they looked to persons having influence with Mr. Mackenzie, and with a person then known as the Premier's Premier, Mr. Buckingham, Mr. Mackenzie's private secretary. At a midnight meeting at Prentiss, the late Senator Macdonald, who as a warm friend and supporter of Mr. Mackenzie, procured the contract for his relation, Mr. Whitehead, bought from Charlton, through the negotiation of one Mackintosh, now M.P. for the shums of Ottawa, this contract for a consideration of \$10,000. Mr. Mackenzie and Mr. Buckingham were cognizant of this bargain, and they completed it by giving the contract to Mr. Whitehead, as the next highest tenderer, at an advance of a great many thousands of dollars over and above the price specified in Charlton's tender. Mr. Mackenzie also kindly allowed Mr. Charlton to withdraw the security which he himself had demanded as a protection against "fraud," and which was properly forfeited. The "job" was so flagrant and transparent that the then editor of the Government newspaper at Ottawa published the details of the nefarious transaction in the columns of the late *Times* of that city. When Mr. Mackenzie's recommendation, as Minister of Public Works, to the Privy Council, to award this contract to Whitehead came up, Mr. Blake read to the council this article in the *Times*, and refused to sanction the recommendation of the Minister of Public Works unless the matter was cleared up. Mr. Mackenzie, who was both Premier and Minister of Public Works, deliberately gave "his word" that there was "no truth" in the statements in the *Times* which he at the time knew to be true. It was by this means that the Mr. Whitehead got his contract, and it is a fact that his estimates were regularly cashed by Mr. Mackenzie's political

friend, the deservedly esteemed and lamented Senator who shortly thereafter died. We do not say that Mr. Whitehead's contract prices were excessive, for we know that they were far below the approximate estimate of the Government engineers, and probably no other person than one having his practical experience in railway construction, would have taken it at the price. But the corrupt means by which the contract was obtained we have explicitly stated, and perhaps it was the "blackest job"—being done under cover of the gloom of midnight,—that ever was perpetrated by the Mackenzie Government. When the present Government came into power they found Mr. Whitehead at work on his contract, and subsequently, that gentleman, getting into pecuniary difficulties, instead of taking his contract away from him, as they might justifiably have done, they took into consideration that he was a political opponent and treated him in a generous spirit. The Government took over the work which from want of capital he was unable to continue, with an agreement to pay over to him any amount which might be realized over and above the contract price after paying all the cost of construction. This amount, which was some \$86,000, has been handed over to Mr. Whitehead, and we think he will have very little sympathy with his Grit friends who say that what was not only an act of justice but of generosity should be characterized as "the blackest job."

### Brandon's Industries.

Now that there are so many applications for assistance, "by way of bonus," to aid in the establishment of new industries, it is not inopportune to take note of some of the old ones—those of people who put their energies, means and prospects in the city of Brandon when it was little more than a name. Among the foremost of these may be mentioned the firm of Alexander, Kelly & Sutherland, whose four-story flouring mills stand out among the first of the monuments of Brandon's progress which strike the observation of the visitor to our city. These mills occupy an advantageous location, being contiguous both to the railway and the river, and cover a superficial area of 40x15 feet. A run through the mills by a reporter this morning showed that every thing was in the best of order, the latest mechanical appliances in use being in operation. The machinery is made by a powerful engine of 96 nominal horse power, which can safely be increased to 175 horse power. The engine is in itself a perfect model and a pleasure to anyone with a knowledge of mechanics to see, in motion. At present it is moving three run of stones, one set of rollers, two. Barley purifiers, five sets of reels, separator, smelter, &c. The firm first opened business here in June, two years ago, under the style of Fisher & Co., the members being Fisher, A. C. Fraser and Mr. Alexander, the present proprietor and energetic manager. The two latter subsequently purchased Fisher's interest, and other changes ensued, which eventually left the firm as above mentioned—Alexander, Kelly and Sutherland. Mr. Alexander, moreover, has from the first been the leading spirit and manager of the establishment, which, at the present moment, is turning out over 100 barrels of flour per day. Of the capacity and success of his management, the best proof is that with the large average of daily manufacture mentioned above, he finds it difficult to keep up with the demands of the local trade. We understand that the firm having prospered in our midst are determined to keep up with the progress of the times, and contemplate the erection at an early date of an extensive oatmeal mill in connection with their flouring mills. They ask from the citizens a bonus of \$5,000, and are ready to accept the city's debentures at par for the same. Should they receive this assistance their new mills will be put up on a very large scale, and besides the increase in the volume of the labor market thus necessitated, would naturally very greatly enhance the position of the city as a grain market. If we are to give bonuses at all, we think the firm ought to receive favorable consideration, as they have given the community substantial guarantee of their stability, and we can rely upon their being no wild cat bonus-hunters.

### To Stain Wood.

Apple, pear, and walnut wood, if fine-grained, may be stained black by the following process. Boil in a glazed or enameled iron vessel with water four ounces of ground gall-nuts, one of log-wood chips, and half an ounce each of green-vitriol and crystals of verdigris. Filter while warm, and brush the wood over with this repeatedly. Dry and brush over with strong cold solution of acetate of iron, and dry. Repeat this several times, and finally dry in an oven at a moderate temperature, and oil or varnish.

## Burlington

SHOAL LAKE P. O.

The subscriber now offers for sale valuable lots situated in any part of the town site of

## Burlington!

On the Beautiful Beach of Shoal Lake in the County of Shoal Lake. This site is one of the most beautiful and picturesque in Manitoba, and is on the direct line of the Portage, Westbourne and N. W. Railway.

Plans being parts of N. E. of Section 18 and S. E. of Section 19, T. 16 Range 21 west. According to the Survey of Patrick & Steele, D. L. S. may be seen at the law office of Mr. (Clerk) Minnedosa, also at Henderson & Henderson's Law Office Brandon, or on application to the subscriber.

H. SCOUTEN,  
Burlington, Shoal Lake, P. O.,  
Manitoba.

TERMS—One Third Cash, the balance in Six or Twelve Months.

### Old Papers.

Old papers for sale at 50c. per hundred. Apply at this office.

## City of Brandon.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the COURT OF REVISION

For the City of Brandon, for the Year 1883 will hold its First Sitting on

Friday, 18th May, 1883,

At 8 o'clock p.m., in the CITY HALL, when Appeals against the Assessment for the current year will be heard.

E. MARTINDALE,  
CLERK.



PIONEER

## Boot & Shoe STORE,

Ninth Street,

Between Rosser Avenue and C.P.R. Depot.

## W. SENKBEIL

Begs to inform the ladies and gentlemen of Brandon and surrounding district that he has now on hand a CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK of

### SUMMER GOODS,

Comprising everything in his line.

### GENTS' LADIES' MISSES AND CHILDRENS' WEAR.

Dealing exclusively in BOOTS and SHOES he is enabled to purchase at an advantage which allows him to offer superior goods at LOWEST CITY PRICES, and devoting his whole attention to this branch of trade, he is confident that he

Can Guarantee Satisfaction to all who favor him with a call.

## Custom Work

receives SPECIAL ATTENTION, all orders, AS USUAL, executed PROMPTLY, and by SUPERIOR WORKMEN.

### Note Address.

Ninth Street, between Rosser Avenue and C.P.R. Station.

## \$2,500 WILL BUY

A Bakery on 11th street, near Rosser Avenue. Two acres building 20x30, besides an addition of 14x14 containing a furnace oven. The building has a store front and is complete and suitable for any kind of business, or the same will be let at a reasonable rent. For terms &c., apply to

HUGHES & PARRICK, 16th St.

## TO RENT.

35 acres in crop on Sec. 32, Township 12, Range 16, on Big Plain with good frame house and stable. The crop consists of 10 acres wheat, and 25 acres oats. Terms, \$8 per acre with use of buildings &c. Apply to

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W. M. O'Brien P. O.

## BRANDON SPORTSMEN'S HEADQUARTERS

A. G. PAUL,

—DEALER IN—

Breech and Muzzle Loading Shot Guns

Rifles, Revolvers and Ammunition.

A. G. AUL.

### For Sale or to Lease.

The building at present occupied by Messrs Geo. Ripple & Co., as a Hardware Store, on Eighth Street, near the Corner of Princess Avenue, will be sold or leased on favorable terms.

The building is 20 x 50, with lean to the rear, and suitable for any business.

Apply on the premises, to Geo. Ripple & Co., or to

J. J. MCKINNON, Esq.

Real Estate Agent.

Richards Block.

### JUST TO HAND.

A large and fine assortment of

Breech and Muzzle Loading

### GUNS.

Ranging from \$5.50 to \$75 each.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

GEORGE RIPPLE & CO.

## M. TEBO.

Livery Feed & Sale Stable

If you want

Liveries Single or Double.

Go to Tebo's, 18th street. Good horses and good vehicles. Terms moderate. Call and see him.

## M. TEBO.

### FARM FOR SALE.

320 acres, within three miles of Millard, frame house, stable, granary; 100 acres broken; spring creek runs through the farm. Will be sold on easy terms; clear title. For particulars as to price, etc., apply to

FRANK BURNETT.

Real Estate and Financial Agent, Millard.

## Fawcett & Shearer

BUILDERS!

—AND—

### CONTRACTORS!

Near the Corner of

7th St. and Rosser Ave.,

### BRANDON.

92-6m.

SHAVING,

SHAMPOOING,

Haircutting.

Good Razors, Clean Towels,

Comfortable Chairs.

ROBINSON'S PARLORS.

ROSSER AVE.

## JUST RECEIVED.

a large stock of

## Garden Seeds.

## THE CITY SIGNS

—AND—

## THE CITY TAILOR.

## E. COPE,

The Noted City Tailor, to the front of the

### Tailor By Appointment

TO THE POLICE FORCE.

Notwithstanding the puff of sound and the rate concerns, the City Fathers and the acknowledge E. Cope to be the First Tailor in the city. A good assortment of Scotch, English and French goods.

Professed Breeches Maker

ROSSER AVE.

## VULCAN IRON WORKS

F. H. Brydges & Co.,

FOUNDERS,

MACHINISTS,

BOILER MAKERS.

[etc., etc.]

Millwrights,

Blacksmiths,

[etc., etc.]

NOW ON HAND, 1,000 FEET SHAFTING ALL SIZES.

Locks, Conduits, Large Line of Pulleys, Gear, etc.

Point Duquesne Ave., opposite C. P. Railway Station, Winnipeg.

**Look Here**

**THE OLD MADE NEW!**

**McKenzie & Russell**

Have your Buggy and Carriage repaired and painted in first class style - they are prepared to do anything and everything in the carriage and wagon line.

**Horse-Shoeing Second to None in the Province.**

**A LARGE STOCK KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.**

Also on hand a large stock of the Vansteeden Waggon, guaranteed to be the best in the market.

**Don't Fail to Give Them a Call.**

P. MCKENZIE. J. A. RUSSELL.

**MONEY. MONEY. MONEY, TO LOAN.**

On Homesteads, Improved Syndicate Lands or City Property, or other first-class Security.

**FIRE INSURANCE**

**HELLYAR BROS.,**

Insurance Agents, representing the following Companies:

Phoenix, of London, England.

Western, of London and Liverpool.

Western, of Toronto.

British America, of Toronto.

Phoenix, of Brooklyn.

Hartford, of Hartford, Conn.

Office in Room 22, Richard Block.

1887

**MAIL CONTRACT**

Postmaster, addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon on 15th May 1887, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's mails on a proposed contract for four times per week between La Broquerie and Winnipeg, from the 1st of July next.

The conveyance to be made in a suitable vehicle via Carleton Place, St. Anne, Lorette and Prairie du Rocher.

The mails leave Winnipeg every Friday at 8 a.m., and arrive at La Broquerie at 7 p.m., and arrive at Winnipeg at 5:30 p.m. Or if more suitable to parties tendering the arrival and departure may be as follows: Leave La Broquerie every Friday at 8 a.m., and arrive at Winnipeg at 8 p.m. Leave Winnipeg every Saturday at 8 a.m., and arrive at La Broquerie at 7:30 p.m.

Printed notices containing further information and conditions of proposed contract may be seen at Blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office at La Broquerie, Clearsprings, St. Anne and Winnipeg.

W. W. McLeod, P. O. Inspector, Winnipeg, 25th March 1887.

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The mails leave Winnipeg every Friday at 8 a.m., and arrive at St. Boniface at 7:30 p.m., and arrive at Winnipeg at 8 p.m. Or if more suitable to parties tendering the arrival and departure may be as follows: Leave St. Boniface every Friday at 8 a.m., and arrive at Winnipeg at 8 p.m. Leave Winnipeg every Saturday at 8 a.m., and arrive at St. Boniface at 7:30 p.m.

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**TRAVELLER'S GUIDE. RAILROAD TIME TABLE**

On and after December 10, 1882, trains will move as follows:

Going West.	Winnipeg.	Going East.
8:15 a.m. Leave	Portage la Prairie	Arrive 8:05 p.m.
2:00 p.m. Leave	Brandon	11:40 a.m.
4:15 p.m. Leave	Oak Lake	10:20 a.m.
11:30 p.m. Leave	Broadview	8:00 a.m.
7:00 a.m. Leave	Regina	7:00 p.m.
9:00 p.m. Leave	Swift Current	Leave 7:00 a.m.

Going South.	Winnipeg.	Going North.
7:30 a.m. Leave	Whitecourt	11:55 p.m.
1:45 p.m. Leave	Saskatoon	9:50 a.m.
4:35 p.m. Leave	Winnipeg	Leave 8:45 a.m.

Going South.	Winnipeg.	Going North.
8:15 a.m. Leave	Winnipeg	Arrive 4:30 p.m.
9:45 a.m. Leave	Stonewall	Leave 2:30 p.m.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**  
Magnificent Palace Sleeping Cars will be run daily between Winnipeg and Regina.

JOHN M. EGAN, Gen. Superintendent.  
W. C. VAN HORSE, Gen. Manager.  
W. M. HARPER, Asst. Traffic Manager.

**J.A. STEWART**

DEALER IN

**FLOUR, FEED,**

and all kinds of

**Field & Garden Seeds**

Corner Rosser Avenue and Ninth Street.

**THE FAVORITE NORTH WEST BREWERY.**

**Beer, Ales and Porter**

THOS. CAIRNS, Proprietor,

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MANITOBA.

A. YOUNG, AGENT,

Brandon District.

**A. McLEAN,**

—NEW—

**HARDWARE STORE**

**RICHARD BLOCK,**

**ROSSER AVENUE**

**Opposite T T Atkinson's**

Where I keep on hand a full assortment of

**SHELF HARDWARE,**

**PLATED GOODS,**

**COIL AND TRACE CHAINS.**

**BUILDING MATERIALS,**

**LAMPS,**

**CARPENTERS'S TOOLS,**

**POCKET & TABLE CUTLERY.**

**HOT WATER URNS,**

**COAL OIL AND TINWARE.**

Call and see before purchasing elsewhere

**A. McLean.**

**"BRANTFORD BINDER"**

MANUFACTURED BY

**A. Harris, Son & Co.,**

(LIMITED.)

**The Simplest, Most Durable, and Best Binder in the Market.**

**THE APPLEBY KNOTTER SIMPLIFIED.**

**Twelve Distinct Parts Combined in Two.**

**New Brantford Seeders,**

THE BRANTFORD MOWER, THE CENTENNIAL RAKE, THE OSBORN CORN BINDER, THE BRANTFORD REAPER, SNOWBALL WAGGONS, SPEIGHT WAGGONS, PLOWS AND HARROWS always in stock.

**Minnesota Chief. Climax and Vibrator Threshers.**

Steam or Horse-power. Repairs for all our machinery always on hand.

TRAVELLERS—THOS. MERRITT, ALEX. NICHOL, F. A. SMITH.

THOS. LOVITT, Warehouseman. H. NICHOL, Manager.

**TORONTO STORE**

always to the front with the NEWEST GOODS and

**The Lowest Prices.**

Our stock of Dress Goods for the season comprises

**SILKS AND SATINS, PLAIN AND BROCADED,**

in all colors, cannot be surpassed if equalled in the Province. Also an extensive range of

**ALL WOOL CASHMERES,**

in black and colors.

**DRESS GOODS,**

of all kinds in endless variety

**CLOVES AND CORSETS** an immense stock. We are just opening out several cases of the latest styles of Corsets in all the newest styles that can be found in the city. **CRETONNES IN ENDLESS VARIETY** double and single face, Lace Curtains and Lambrequins, Carpets, Floor and Oil Cloths, Mattings, etc., Cottons, Ducks and Denims, Pungas Shirts, Cotton Bags, Tents, etc. In **GENTS' FURNISHINGS** we take the lead. All the new things in Tie Collars, Hard and Soft Felt Hats. Our stock of

**GROCERIES**

is very large, and buying as we do right from the manufacturer, we have the middle man's profit and can therefore sell you most lines at wholesale prices. Also Crockery and hardware. Settlers coming in will find it to their advantage to call and inspect our stock before purchasing. Remem-ber the place. The Toronto Store, corner 7th street and Rosser Ave.

**SOVEREEN & JOHNSTON.**  
**First-Class Dressmaking by the Misses Armstrongs, late of Winnipeg. Rooms over Store.**

**WAGER \$500.00**

**To Whom it May Concern.**

During the thunderstorm in August, 1882, the County of Middlesex, Ont., alone suffered to the extent of from \$50,000 to \$55,000 in the destruction of dwellings, barns and out-buildings. Not one of the structures consumed was furnished with rods from the Globe Lightning Rod Company of London, although there are thousands and thousands of feet of our rods erected upon the farm houses and barns in Middlesex Co., and over 10,000 being erected within the city limits alone during the past two years, the statements of a few wise-acres to the contrary notwithstanding. The Globe Company, in order to show their confidence in the goods manufactured and sold by them, are prepared to place the sum of \$500.00 in the hands of His Worship the Mayor (or any other responsible citizen in London,) against a similar amount of deposited by any person or persons who can prove, that a building provided with suitable rods from the Globe Company has been struck during either of the recent thunderstorms which have visited Western Ontario. The money to be divided between the different charitable institutions in London. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

**T. C. HEWITT,**

Manager Globe Lightning Rod Co.

**LONDON, ONTARIO.**

**LYMAN MEDES, Sole Agent for the Northwest.**

**G. N. GILCHRIST,**

**Merchan & Tailor**

Has special out a

**First-Class Tailoring Establishment.**

**CORNER FIFTH AND ROSSER AVENUE**

where will be found one of the finest stocks of

**French Worsteds, Scotch and English Tweeds**

ever shown in the North West.

N. B.—Only first-class workmen employed and satisfaction guaranteed to all who may favor me with their patronage.

**G. N. GILCHRIST.**

**Fresh Arrivals!**

**THE LARGEST STOCK**

OF

**DRY GOODS**

EVER

**BROUGHT TO BRANDON**

**JUST RECEIVED AT**

**ATKINSON'S.**

**LADIES!**

**SEE OUR**

**DRESS GOODS CASHMERES**

**SILKS**

**SATINS**

**PARASOLS**

**PRINTS**

**AND FANCY GOODS**

100 pieces Shirtings Ducks and Denims Extra Value

**A Full stock of Groceries at Bottom Prices.**

**T. T. Atkinson:**

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MUNDLE & PORTER,**  
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## MUNICIPALITY OF CYPRESS.

Minutes of meeting held at Millerton 15th May, 1883.  
Present the Warden; Councillors Thomas, Goss, Atkinson, Leith, Naysmith and Burnett.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read, it was  
Moved by Councillor Thomas and seconded by Councillor Atkinson, that the minutes of the last meeting be adopted.—Carried.

The Warden rising addressed the Council upon the subject of the proposed extension of the railway from the Municipality of Norfolk regarding Railway extension. He stated that he had received a communication from Mr. Moor, the Warden of Norfolk, stating that he had received a letter from Mr. Moor of an exceedingly non-committal character, and holding out no great hopes of a line. Mr. Hilt continued that he had better news from the Portage and Sarnia Railway, the President of which informed him the charter would be applied for at once, and our requirements attended to early in August. Mr. Moor had had an interview with the Premier, the Hon. John Norquay, who assured him that there need be no difficulty at all in obtaining the required charter.

The clerk then read the following communications from  
J. K. Thomson,  
G. G. Cowie,  
M. Collins.

Mr. Councillor Naysmith, Chairman of the Road and Bridge Committee, Ward No. 3, read his report, stating that the contract for the construction of the bridge over Oak Creek had been let for \$190, but that as it now existed it was not according to specification, and it remained with the Council to decide whether or not it should be taken off the contractor's hands. With regard to the Ferry Mr. Naysmith said that according to the direction of the Council the committee had advertised for tenders for its construction and had in response received two, one for \$250 and one for \$285. But considering these figures excessive, the committee had exercised the discretionary powers placed in them by the Council, and had shortened the length of the proposed ferry-boat to 32 feet, and had thus been able to let the contract to Messrs. Stewart & Young for \$260. The form of agreement between the contractors and committee was then read.

Moved by Councillor Atkinson and seconded by Councillor Thomas that the report of the Road and Bridge Committee for Ward No. 3 be adopted.—Carried.

The Warden then called for the report of the Chairman of the Road and Bridge Committee of Ward No. 2.

Mr. Coun. Leith, Chairman of the Road and Bridge Committee of Ward No. 2, read his report, setting forth that although in his opinion the site of the desired bridge over the Oak Creek was a good one, that in the opinion of the Committee it was not altogether indispensable as there were two other bridges in existence, one to the east and one to the west of it. He would therefore recommend the council seeing the expense that it has been lately put to in this branch of Public Works to defer this construction to a future date.

Moved by Coun. Thomas, seconded by Coun. Naysmith, that the report of the Road and Bridge Committee of Ward No. 2 be adopted and that this council do act in the matter according to their suggestion.—Carried.

Mr. Burnett stated that he had negotiated a loan with the Imperial Bank upon the following terms: \$500 at 3 months and \$1,000 at 7 months.

The Warden expressed his satisfaction of Mr. Burnett's action.

Moved by Coun. Leith, seconded by Coun. Thomas, that Coun. Burnett's report be adopted and that he receive the thanks of the Council for his trouble in the matter.—Carried.

Mr. Fitz Roy Dixon rising made his report stating that in accordance with instructions received from this Council he had called at the office of the Clerk of the Municipality of Brandon regarding a settlement of affairs but was met with the statement that no consideration would be given him without the consent of the Brandon Council.

Moved by Coun. Burnett, seconded by Coun. Atkinson, that the matter of settlement between the two municipalities of Cypress and Brandon be placed in the hands of Mr. Daly, Solicitor.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Naysmith, seconded by Atkinson, that this Council do resolve itself into a court of revision with the Warden in the chair.

The court of revision having risen the Warden once more called the Council to order and the report of the construction of the Oak Creek bridge was next taken into consideration after some discussion.

Moved by Coun. Atkinson, seconded by Coun. Thomas, that the bridge over Oak Creek be not taken off the contractor's hands, but that he be required to put in a sill in place of the one there at present, 24 feet long by 4 inches by 8 inches, and a brace at each side 4 inches by 4 inches from the said sill to top of truss to be securely bolted at both top and bottom.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Burnett, seconded by

Coun. Thomas, that a committee composed of councillors Naysmith, Thomas, Atkinson and Garrett do proceed to inspect cable for ferry and that they do confer together to ascertain a possible cost.—Carried.  
(To be continued on Monday.)

## BE FIRM AND BE TRUE.

A maxim take, my boys and girls,  
And this I would suggest.  
"Be firm and true, and work away,  
And do your very best."

If lessons long and difficult  
Should be to you assigned,  
Get down to work and study hard,  
And do not lag behind.

Whatever the work you have to do,  
Be sure you do it right;  
March boldly up, strike firmly out,  
And do it with your might.

In all your business, work and play,  
Be honest, true and square;  
Let nothing turn you from your course,  
But firmly do and dare.

And, when you've grown to riper years,  
Hold to the maxim still:  
Be firm and true, and work away  
With mind and heart and will.

## Y.M.C.A. ASSOCIATION.

Annual International Conference of Secretaries at Racine.

The Racine Daily Journal, of the 14th inst., received per favor of Mr. C. M. Copeland, Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in this city, contains the details of the session of the Annual International Conference of Y.M.C.A. Secretaries at Racine, Wis. There were some 250 representatives in attendance. Arriving on Saturday, 12th inst., they were entertained in the Baptist Church with tea kindly provided by the Christian ladies of Racine, after which a Secretaries' session was held in the church, Mr. W. H. Morris, of Baltimore, presiding. Each Secretary reported his location, position, and the time during which he had been engaged in the work of the Association; and this method of proceeding served the purpose of a general introduction of the young men to each other, and a lively and interesting session resulted. On Sunday the pulpits of the several churches were occupied by the visitors, and throngs of people crowded the edifices to their doors. A special sermon to Secretaries was preached in the first Presbyterian Church by the pastor Rev. Dr. Ed. Cowing. It received the highest commendation as a master-piece of pulpit oratory. In the afternoon a meeting for young men, of whom 1,500 attended, was held at the Blake Opera House, where an admirable address was delivered by Dr. Marshall, of Indianapolis on Moral, Physical and Intellectual Well-Being; and at the same time a meeting of young boys was held in the rooms of the Racine Association. On Monday the business of the Conference proceeded, papers on various subjects were read and discussed, one hour being given to each topic.

## PLEASANTRIES.

Two apple and the small boy demonstrate coarseness and effect.

"A BARE," says a writer, "is a mother's anchor." We have often heard that the first thing she does is to weigh it.

When a member of Congress wanted his picture in a heroic attitude the artist painted him in the act of refusing a drink.

"What makes men fat?" asks a correspondent. Don't know, but about a quart of whisky will make a man lean—all around a lamp-post.

There is nothing like a bicycle to put flesh on a man. A Chicago man has had one only a week, and his left ankle is three inches larger around than it was when he first rode it.

It kind of disgusts an emigrant agent who has worked two hours to convince a victim that the town he blows for is healthy, to find that the proposed emigrant is by trade an undertaker.

An Irishman wrote thus to his wife of a sick brother: "If Jamie isn't dead yet, remind him of the twenty shillings he owes me on the pigs, and if he is, tell him not to give himself any concern about it."

A physician says: "It is healthiest to eat a melon right in the field when it is picked." Lime Kiln Club man writes us that it is false. The healthiest way is to run, and not stop to eat it till you're sure the farmer has called in his dog and given up the pursuit.

Mrs. PLAINDALE, after looking long and thoughtfully at a plaster cast of Shakespeare, remarked, "Poor man! How pale he was! He couldn't have been well when it was taken." "No," replied Fogg; "he was dead." "Ah," that accounts for it," said Mrs. P., drawing a sympathetic breath.

The Governor of a well-known prison extolled the liberal diet of the convicts under his care in the following manner: "They have not only 30 per cent. of cooked matter, 27 of albumen, 18 of gelatin, 15 of fibrine, and 7 of phosphate, but also 10 cubic yards of air a day—upward of 500 gallons—a regular eagle."

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4 " best butter,	1 00	55 lb can tomatoes,	1
6 " baking butter	1 00	5 " apples,	1
9 " new prunes,	1 00	5 " pumpkins	1
10 " best currants,	1 00	33 lb can p. ches,	1 00
8 " dried apples,	1 00	52 lb can peas,	2 00
10 " village biscuits,	1 00	52 lb can beans	
10 " prairie	1 00	52 lb can sugar corn	
7 " lemon,	1 00	52 lb can strawberries	
7 " fruit,	1 00	52 lb can blackberries	
8 " suet,	1 00	52 lb can salmon	
5 gal best best syrup,	4 00	52 lb can lobster	
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1 set best white dishes,	3 25	made	1 00

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